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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
9 AT TACOMA

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11 KEVIN A. STANFIELD,

12 Plaintiff,

13 v.

14 STATE OF WASHINGTON,

15 Defendant.

CASE NO. 20-cv-6209-RJB

ORDER DENYING PLAINTIFF'S
APPLICATION TO PROCEED IN
FORMA PAUPERIS

16 THIS MATTER comes before the Court on the Report and Recommendation of Judge
17 Theresa L. Fricke, United States Magistrate Judge. No objections to the report and
18 recommendation have been filed. The Court has considered the record and does hereby find and
19 ORDER:

20 (1) The Court adopts the Report and Recommendation;

21 (2) Plaintiff's application to proceed *in forma pauperis* (Dkt. 1) is DENIED;
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1 (3) Any amendment of the Complaint would be futile, so the Court declines to allow
2 plaintiff to submit the filing fee and attempt to file either this Complaint or an
3 amended complaint; and

4 (4) The Clerk is directed to send copies of this Order to plaintiff.

5 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

6 The Clerk is directed to send uncertified copies of this Order to all counsel of record and
7 to any party appearing *pro se* at said party's last known address.

8 Dated this 15th day of March, 2021.

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10 ROBERT J. BRYAN
11 United States District Judge
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